



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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TENTATIVE ORDER TO AMEND CEASE AND DESIST ORDER R5-2015-0128 FOR COLLINS PINE COMPANY, CHESTER SAWMILL, WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS ORDER R5-2009-0015 (NPDES No. CA0004391), CHESTER, PLUMAS COUNTY

TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:

Enclosed is a tentative order that amends Cease and Desist Order R5-2015-0128 for Collins Pine Company's (Discharger) Chester Sawmill (Facility). To be given full consideration, any comments or recommendations concerning the tentative order must be submitted in writing to the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) office by 5:00 pm on 31 October 2016. Written materials submitted after this date and time will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party. Please note that the tentative documents will receive internal legal and management review during the public comment period.

A Public Hearing has been scheduled for the Central Valley Water Board to consider adoption of the tentative order at its **5/6 December 2016 Board Meeting**. The notice of public hearing (4 copies) and a copy of a proof of posting form are also enclosed. As soon as possible, please post one (1) copy of the notice of public hearing at:

- The entrance to the Facility;
- The nearest city hall or county courthouse;
- The post office nearest to the Facility (if allowed)

Proof of posting, using the enclosed form, shall be filed with this office by 7 October 2016.

To conserve resources, this letter transmits a paper copy of the tentative documents to the Discharger only. Interested persons are advised that the full text of the tentative documents is available on the Central Valley Water Board's web site at

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/

Copies of these documents can also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Central Valley Water Board's Redding office at 364 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 205, Redding, California, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

KARL E. LONGLEY SCD, P.E., CHAIR | PAMELA C. CREEDON P.E., BCEE, EXECUTIVE OFFICER

If you have any questions regarding the proposed Order, the scheduling of the Public Hearing, or the above requirements please contact Zack Chandler of my staff at (530) 224-4206, zchandler@waterboards.ca.gov, or at the footer address.

Clint E. Snyder, P.G.

Assistant Executive Officer

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Enclosures: Notice of Public Hearing (4 copies)

Proof of Posting Form

Tentative Order

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